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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	<i>Lee</i>)	Group No.:	2653
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Serial No.:	10/825,508)	Examiner:	Ometz
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Filed:	04/15/2004)	Docket No.:	<i>SJO920020018US3</i>

For: ***MAGNETIC HEAD WITH PROTECTED POLE PIECE AND DISK
DRIVE CONTAINING THE SAME***

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

The Applicant respectfully submits this Amendment And Request For
Reconsideration in response to the Office Action mailed on 27 August 2004.